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CYBERSECURITY AWARENESS MONTH – INDUSTRY WEBINAR

Summary: President Obama designated October as National Cybersecurity Awareness Month to raise awareness of both threats to the technologies that have become part of our everyday lives and the need to proactively defend our digital landscape. In recognition of this important designation, the FFIEC will host the webinar *Getting the Most Out of Your FS-ISAC Membership* for financial institutions on October 31, 2016, at 1 p.m. EDT.

Statement of Applicability to Institutions with Total Assets under \$1 billion: This Financial Institution Letter applies to all FDIC-supervised institutions.

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Highlights:

Getting the Most Out of Your FS-ISAC Membership,
October 31, 2016, 1 p.m. Eastern. On Nov. 3, 2014, the
FFIEC members issued a statement on Cybersecurity Threat
and Vulnerability Monitoring and Sharing that encouraged
financial institutions to join the Financial Services-Information
Sharing and Analysis Center (FS-ISAC). Many financial
institutions have expressed a desire to gain a better
understanding on how to filter and utilize the information they
receive through this membership service. This webinar will
feature a guest speaker from the FS-ISAC who will provide
tips on how to manage the information flow and filter
information through the membership portal. Registration is
available at

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